

ITS BEST DEBATER

Dennis Flynn Says Hepburn Has That Mark in Congress.

HOW THE COUNTRY FEELS

Has Every Confidence in the World in McKinley.

"Take either branch of congress," said Delegate Dennis T. Flynn yesterday, "and the best debater in it is Pete Hepburn of Iowa. I would rather hear him talk than any man in either house. I see you are going to have him here in Wichita. You Wichita people will enjoy him. He doesn't indulge in eloquence and oratory, but, merited heavens, how that man can hammer out facts. Go and listen to him and remember what I tell you, that when you have heard him through you have no doubt where he stands. Down in congress where he knows him, and when it comes to controversy they let Pete Hepburn alone."

Mr. Flynn was on his way home from Washington, D. C., where he had been attending to territorial matters. He appears to have regained his former strength and agility and said he was feeling tip-top and was ready to begin the campaign. He left on last evening's south bound train, expecting to meet Congressman Eddy of Minnesota, who is campaigning in Oklahoma for Mr. Flynn's benefit.

Speaking of the situation in the east, Mr. Flynn said:

"Good times are everywhere. People are prospering. I can see it everywhere and in every man's conversation, the fact that there is a new happier era coming out. Grumbling is at a discount, and the people who have had four years of plenty are not going to vote for a famine. I have within two weeks passed from the Pacific to the Atlantic ocean. I have talked with scores of men on trains, men from widely separated sections, and I want to offer here the statement that I have never known a public man to have so completely consistent a popular admiration, and so unanimously enthusiastic a popular confidence in himself, as has President McKinley. You can hear his praises from everyone. You can find attacks on him in Democratic papers but they are not repeated in conversation by Democrats, chiefly because the attacks are so flimsy. Every citizen seems to understand, as though he knew the president personally, that in public affairs and in the direction of affairs he brings into use a superb judgment, which is guided by the determination to be just. I saw the president the other day, and although he is beset with the vague perplexing situation in China, and a thousand and one other governmental matters, he was as calm, as satisfied and as pleasant in the midst of it all, as though he never had a care in the world. He is a man of wonderful power, of a temperament that can be jarred into confusion, and I believe is today the greatest executive mind in the world."

R. O. Childs of Peoria, Ill., makes a suggestion of great value to everyone. "Beggars Gorman Salve is the best general household remedy made." It cures cuts, burns, scalds, all sores, all skin diseases, and is the ONLY cure that never fails to cure permanently. J. P. Allen, Dockum & Higginson, Geo. Van Warden.

IT IS A DUVAL SCHEME

Campbell Has Seen Out Manoeuvre.

I. P. Campbell, who said repeatedly that he would not get off the ticket for congress under any circumstances, was last night believed by his own constituents that if he would get off Duval would, too, and both would have an equal show as between themselves or with a new man and get off. He has been completely side-tracked and now a scheme is on foot to nominate Duval.

The coming one-roof convention at Hutchinson is the basis for considerable speculation and comment throughout the Seventh congressional district. The real Populists are in trouble since the Democratic trap was sprung upon them and Campbell, and the situation grows more interesting.

That Mr. Campbell was put out of the way for the purpose of clearing the field for Mr. Duval is admitted, and that the latter will be nominated by the voters in both parties—Populist and Democratic—is conceded by many and believed by almost everybody, regardless of party. Already Duval's friends are claiming that several counties have held conventions and instructed delegates.

The Democratic side of the one-roof show will be solid for him, and one-half or more of the Populist side of the same show will be in line; and that Duval's nomination is absolutely certain. There is no question but what Duval is a popular Democrat, and that he is too much of a politician for Mr. Campbell, who has been out of the game for some time.

any of his home-heard, strong, and energetic Populists who used to work in politics in the days when farmers named party candidates and the boxes were relegated to private life. That day has passed. The Democrats are running the thing now, and all that is expected of the Populist farmer is to furnish votes at the polls for Duval.

In the meantime, while the Populist managers are arranging for the exhibition under one tent on September 11, Chester I. Long, Republican nominee for congress, is making telling and effective speeches throughout the district, and gaining votes every day. Never before has the Seventh district been so thoroughly alive to the importance of electing a Republican to congress. Long is now enjoying the confidence and esteem of men who were against him two years ago—men who endorse him and his speeches now and are swelling by him with enthusiasm. He now has the moral endorsement of a large portion of the opposition who recognize that his return means something for his district, his state and the nation. However, the real active workers in the Republican party are not hindered by over-confidence, but are working to make the Republican

LADIES CAN WEAR SHOES

One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Powder. It is a powder that is shaken into the shoe. It makes light or new shoes feel comfortable, gives instant relief to corns and blisters. It is the greatest remedy for all troubles of the feet. Cures and prevents small feet, blisters, calluses and sore spots. Allen's Foot-Powder is a certain cure for sweating, hot, itching feet. At all drug stores and shoe stores. Trial package FREE by mail. Address: Allen S. Gurnett, Le Roy, N. Y.

majority a record-breaker for the Seventh District.

DR. SLUTZ HAS RETURNED

Will be Pastor of Church in Portland Oregon.

Dr. W. B. Slutz, former pastor of the First M. E. church in this city, has returned after a trip through Montana, where he was engaged in delivering lectures. Dr. Slutz has been appointed the pastor of one of the leading churches in Portland, Ore., and will move his family to that place during the coming month. Portland is the home of Bishop Cranston, and Dr. Slutz will be the pastor of his church, which is considered quite an honor among ministers of the various Methodist churches.

During the stay of Dr. Slutz in the northern states he spent a week in Yellowstone park and was especially delighted with his outing at that noted place. He has a number of views of the scenery and is exhibiting them to his friends in the city.

The many friends of Dr. Slutz will be glad to know of his success in having such a fine offer and it came as a surprise to him, as his intention was to go farther east in one of the eastern conferences. He will remain in the city for a few days and his many friends will have an opportunity of seeing him.

FOR WHOOPING COUGH.

"Both my children were taken with whooping cough," writes Mrs. O. E. Dutton, of Danville, Ill. "A small bottle of FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR gave such relief that I used a 50-cent bottle, which saved me a doctor's bill." G. Gehring, 409 E. Douglas; Geo. Van Warden, 323 N. Main; Wichita Drug Co., 110 E. Douglas; Gus Saur, 324 E. Douglas.

DEATH OF CHARLES R. PORTER

Funeral Will Occur Today at Four O'clock.

Charles R. Porter, age 22, died yesterday morning at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Della F. Kendle, 309 North Tozka avenue after an illness of several months. He came from Kansas City recently, where he had to give up his position. He leaves one sister, Leah, who lives with her aunt, Mrs. Kendle, and one brother, George F., of Kansas City, who arrived here last night. His father, another, two brothers and two sisters are already dead.

The funeral will occur at 4 o'clock today at 309 North Tozka avenue, Rev. Board officiating. The body will be taken to his old home in Russellville, Ohio, tomorrow evening for burial by his brother George. Mr. Porter was formerly employed by H. W. Kendle and H. C. Dunbar, undertakers, and the Corlett Undertaking company of Kansas City.

THE DREAD of people with weak lungs who suffer with stubborn coughs is consumption. FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR, if taken in time, cures the cold, heals the lungs and always cures incipient CONSUMPTION. G. Gehring, 409 E. Douglas; Geo. Van Warden, 323 N. Main; Wichita Drug Co., 110 E. Douglas; Gus Saur, 324 E. Douglas.

FOR TWO HUNDRED MILES

What Advertisers Find About People Coming to Carnival.

W. G. Noel, who is making points on the Missouri Pacific placing advertising for the fair carnival, says that as far west as McCracken, 25 miles, everybody is coming. He says that every merchant in Holingsworth and other places where he placed bills expressed his intention of coming for at least three days. W. R. Stevenson, who is on the Santa Fe south, sends in report that half the people in nearly every town south to Oklahoma City is coming some time during the week of the Carnival, and Charles Davis sends similar reports from Galena, Col., and in fact from the Missouri line to Wichita. "Bigger than ever" will not only apply to this year to the entertainment but to the crowds as well. Herbert Davidson reports similar conditions on the Rock Island south to Chickasha.

"I am a switchman," writes A. J. Jennings, of 3201 Butler street, Chicago. "And am out in all kinds of weather. I took a cold which settled in my kidney and was in very bad shape. I tried several advertised medicines with no benefit until I was recommended to take FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE. Two bottles of a bottle cured me." G. Gehring, 409 E. Douglas; Geo. Van Warden, 323 N. Main; Wichita Drug Co., 110 E. Douglas; Gus Saur, 324 E. Douglas.

FRIENDS' TRAINING SCHOOL

One is to be Established at the University.

The model training school of the normal department of the Friends university will be in charge of Prof. Earl J. Harold B. Litt of Earlham college, Richmond, Ind., assisted by the seniors of the seniors of the school of pedagogy, who are candidates for state certificates. This school will have a special room in the university building in which to study and recite.

A limited number of people of different grades will be admitted to this school on reasonable terms, and parents wishing to enroll their children would do well to confer with President Stanley before the opening of the University September 11.

Prof. Harold is a scholar, enthusiastic teacher and will make the training school one of the great features of the school of pedagogy.

The lack of energy you feel, the back-ache, the dizziness, the general weakness, all mean kidney disorder. FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE will restore your strength and vigor by making the kidneys well. Take no substitute. G. Gehring, 409 E. Douglas; Geo. Van Warden, 323 N. Main; Wichita Drug Co., 110 E. Douglas; Gus Saur, 324 E. Douglas.

RESIDENCE PROPERTY SOLD

True Richardson Gets Marsh Home for \$2,450.

The residence property on North Lawrence avenue, No. 21, has recently been sold to True Richardson, the dead being placed on file yesterday. The consideration for the property was \$2,450 and it is considered as a bargain at these figures. The property was formerly owned by W. E. Marsh, of the marble works on North Main street, and is one of the pleasant homes of the city.

Sales in real estate have been numerous within the last few weeks, and one of the noticeable things is that homes are most in demand.

ASTORIA

The Kind You Have Never Bought

Signature of Chas. H. Hittner

WORK ON STILLWELL ROAD

Hundred Men and Teams Begin Oklahoma Grade.

It is rumored that nearly a hundred men and teams went to work yesterday near Cleo, Woods county, grading upon Stillwell's Mexico and Orient railway, and a larger force will be put to work in the north part of Woods county next week. It seems to be the intention to push the construction of the Oklahoma

WILL SELECT SITE

Location for New Telephone Building to be Named.

TODAY OR ON FRIDAY

Work Will Not Begin Before October First.

Today or tomorrow a site for the new telephone central building which the Missouri-Kansas Telephone company is planning to erect here will be selected. There are two or three places in view and the most available location, the one offering the best advantages for building out the lines and running in the circuits will be chosen. It is now assured that the company will build a large building here, such as was described in the Eagle last Sunday, the estimated cost of which will be \$75,000.

The telephone people have recognized Wichita's commercial supremacy in the southwest and also see the great growth of traffic that is bound to come between this city and the surrounding country, and an important factor in this work being the telephone, the need for room and modern facilities in so large and far reaching concern as the Missouri-Kansas has grown to be, is apparent. Construction of the new building will not begin probably before the first of October or later, depending upon the change of ordinary plans of business.

NEW SWITCH BOARD HERE

Missouri-Kansas Telephone People Install Improvements.

The fixtures for the new Missouri-Kansas switch board have arrived and the board will be placed in position as soon as it is possible for the workmen to reach it. This move on the part of the telephone people is for the betterment of their local service and will be a decided improvement.

The board when arranged will cost, in round figures, something like \$3,000, and will be equal to that in any of the large cities in the east. It will be placed in the room which has been specially fitted for it and when in working order each operator will be independent of the other, which is more convenient than the present arrangement.

The telephone service is being placed in excellent condition in this city, and with the new improvements being installed will make it thoroughly up-to-date. The cables are being placed in position in the building for the use of the new board. Each cable represents a hundred wires, and a number of them are in use at the office.

HIS TRIAL IS TODAY

McCoy Up for Alleged Stealing of Boyer's Mules.

The case of Charles McCoy, who was arrested on the charge of stealing Boyer's mules in this city some weeks ago, will come up in the city court today at 2 o'clock. McCoy was brought back to this county a few days ago by Sheriff Simmons, and since that time the officers have been securing the evidence against him.

The mules were stolen, together with a wagon and harness, from the south part of town and were taken to Wellington. At that place McCoy entered a house and secured some clothing. It is alleged. After going into the territory he attempted to trade the mules and wagon for an old team of horses and a wagon. The trade was finally made, but the man who traded became suspicious and demanded that McCoy trade back, which he did.

The man, not satisfied that everything was right, notified the officers at Woodward, and there the man was found. The evidence now is very conclusive in regard to the alleged stealing and the case will be closely prosecuted.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY

Members of Haystack M. E. Church Entertained.

The Ladies' aid society of the M. E. church of Haystack, Kan., held a meeting Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Ed Lee, 225 South Tozka avenue, in honor of their president, Mrs. James Kirby, who is sick at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Ed Lee. There was the usual hospitable time and lots of good entertainment everybody enjoyed themselves hugely. The president, Mrs. Kirby, has been sick for some time and the aid held this session today to cheer up their sick president.

RECEIVES FULL CLAIM

Mrs. Schultz Settles Last Claim Against Wichita National Bank.

The last payment of dividends on claims against the old Wichita National bank was received yesterday by H. T. Kramer for Mrs. Bettie Schultz, who had \$33 in the bank at the time it failed. The fifth dividend was 10 per cent, the sixth 10 per cent and the last \$31 per cent for interest. Mrs. Schultz received the total amount of her claim and \$31 per cent for interest.

SUCCEEDS MR. FONTAINE

C. W. Young Appointed Frisco Traveling Freight Agent.

General Agent T. J. Franks of the Frisco has named C. W. Young of St. Louis to succeed C. E. Fontaine, who recently resigned and went to the Missouri, Kansas and Texas. Mr. Young at present resides in St. Louis but will move here within a few days and take up his new work. He is a thorough railroad man and hustler, as are all the Frisco people here.

HE MAY LOCATE HERE

Dr. Ross of St. Louis Pleaded With Wichita.

Dr. D. E. Ross, who has been visiting in the city for the past few days with Mr. J. E. Reese, has returned to his home in St. Louis. He was much surprised at the evidences of prosperity and pleased with the business outlook at this place. Within the next few weeks, after closing out his business interests in St. Louis, Dr. Ross expects to come to this city with the intention of opening an office.

COMING LOCAL EVENTS.

There will be a meeting of the Child Culture club at Plymouth Congregational church at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The Highland Cemetery Improvement association will meet in the city building, third floor, Thursday afternoon, August 31, at 2:30 p. m.

Regulate the Liver

Irregularities of the liver will take the Cascarets Candy Cathartic. Keep a box handy at home, in your pocket, in your desk. All druggists, 10c, 25c.

CITY IN BRIEF.

W. H. Pierce has been sick for several days.

Sheriff Daniels was here from Winfield yesterday.

Paul L. Mellinger is very sick at his home at Riverside.

Mrs. Ida Decatur will leave today for Eureka Springs, Ark.

Steve Rice, the literary man of Arkansas City, was here yesterday.

Earl Blake returned yesterday from a professional trip to Newton.

Mr. W. H. Elliott of Derby, was here yesterday and reports a good rain in that vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Erick are enjoying a visit from their daughter, Mrs. Munsell of El Reno, O. T.

The Fall Carnival association has engaged the Wichita band for the entire week of the fair.

Mrs. E. V. Welch, who has been confined to her room for several months past, is convalescing.

Mrs. N. T. Veatch of Rushville, Ill., is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. J. N. Roach of North Lawrence avenue.

Miss Kate Lee leaves for Perry today, where she will be engaged in the millinery business during the coming season.

Misses Mary Kelly and Ruth Woody arrived Tuesday afternoon from a six weeks' outing in Colorado Springs and Rocky Ford, Col.

Next Monday the advertising committee will fill the boards of the city with bills for the carnival. All circus stuff will be off by that time.

Miss Grace York of Pine Bluff, Ark., is the guest of Miss Murdock. Miss York is making a brief stay on her way home from Colorado and Utah.

Mr. J. M. Brown, who has been over in Missouri for some time on account of his health, has returned and is very much improved.

Mrs. Younkerman and daughter, Miss Katherine, who have been visiting here for several weeks, have returned to Cleveland, Ohio.

A big gold letter sign 100 feet long was put up on the Sheets building yesterday.

It read "Wichita Commercial College and Shorthand School."

It is said that the federal game law is being violated in western Kansas and some professional hunters may find themselves in serious trouble.

Mr. E. N. Skinner, formerly of this city, but now located at Carthage, Mo., is in the city. He is well pleased with Wichita's renewed life and business activity and is thinking of again locating here.

The King's Daughters will run Wichita's street railroad September 11, and the net proceeds will be used for charitable purposes. The King's Daughters will be assisted by the ladies of the Children's Home.

Billie Noel, who has been out advertising the fall carnival, says outside of people who are coming to the fair he saw nothing but what stacks in western Kansas. He couldn't see anything else on account of wheat stacks.

Dr. James Thomas of Leavenworth, is in the city and will preach at the Second Baptist church every night during the week. Rev. Thomas is a noted preacher and evangelist. Sunday at 3 p. m. young people's meeting and jubilee service. The public is cordially invited.

Misses Mary Waggoner and Florence Hilberger returned yesterday from an extended trip on the western coast. They visited Salt Lake, Sacramento, San Francisco, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle and Spokane and came home greatly benefited by their delightful outing.

Mr. Leroy E. Osterander, who has been the assistant pastor of the First Presbyterian church this summer, left Tuesday for his home for a few days' rest before returning to Auburn Theological Seminary. He has made many friends in Wichita who wish him success in his school year.

BARNHARDT-MOFFAT NUPTIALS

Popular Young People Were Married Yesterday.

Yesterday morning at 10 o'clock there was pronounced the residence of the bride's father, a beautiful ring ceremony uniting in marriage Mr. Sam R. Barnhardt and Miss Mildred Moffat, both of this city. The affair was a quiet one, witnessed only by the immediate members of the two families. Rev. C. E. Bradt was the officiating clergyman.

While the bride was in New York City and groom in Missouri, both are well known in Wichita, having grown up from childhood here.

Mr. Barnhardt evinced extraordinary business ability, which, added to his sterling moral worth, presages for him a prosperous and useful career.

The bride is a handsome and popular and handsome young lady in the best society of Wichita.

The couple left on the 9:45 Rock Island train, and after visiting principal eastern points of interest, will take up their residence at Kansas City, where Mr. Barnhardt has arranged to go into business.

WEDDING AT VALLEY CENTER.

Mr. D. L. Thompson and Miss Effie May Fanning, both of Valley Center, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride, 322 Mathewson avenue, at the home of Mr. Johnston.

Mr. Fanning and Miss Lizzie Brown were best man and bridesmaid, respectively. Rev. John H. Fazel was the officiating clergyman.

Only the immediate friends of the bride and groom were present, but the congratulations were abundant and hearty. It was one of those quiet, happy wedding, which are the hope of this land of happy homes.

IT MAY BE A FAKE

Candidate Tapp's Purported Interview on the Imperialist Ghost.

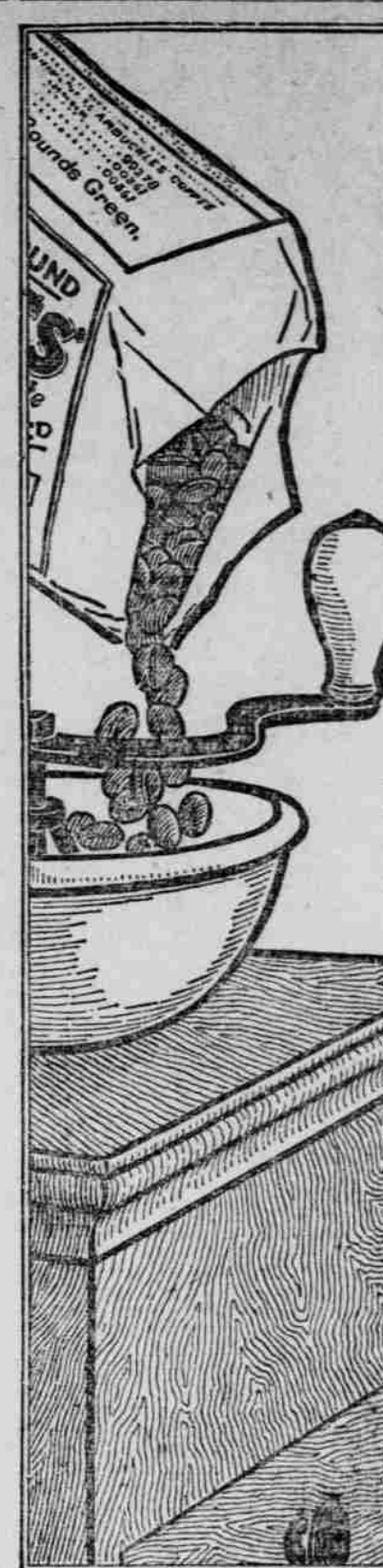
According to the following interview Jim Tapp has also seen the Imperialist ghost, but it does not look so horrible as he is so scared by it.

It is expected that Jim will describe his sensations and estimates of the ghost in his letter of acceptance. Tapp thinks that the size of the ghost depends upon the size of the office, and therefore his ghost is a little ghost not much larger than that of Col. Williams, but Sam Amidon and the boys promise that little as these respective ghosts, comparatively are, they will be made to do a lot of work.

Jim Tapp has large views of state-manship and generalship. He has a few maxims that he claims Bryan and Wendell have not embodied in their letters of acceptance, which he proposes to apply to governmental matters. He says that he has noticed that those who stand on the sidewalk and watch the progress of a fire are more competent to put it out than the firemen who are working on the hose.

This principle he claims applies to the conduct of a war and to all branches of business and government.

He believes the reason Alexander and Caesar and Cromwell and Washington



All the Strength

When you grind Arbuckles' Coffee you get full value out of every bean that goes in the grinder. You get all the goodness, all the delicacy, all the aroma nature put in the berry. Every bean is covered with an air-tight coating, made from a combination of nutritious substances. This keeps in all the goodness—keeps out all the moisture and foreign substances that mar the delicate flavor of coffee.

That's only one point in favor of Arbuckles' Coffee. You can't get it in any other coffee. Then there's the price. And the flavor. There's not a coffee sold that offers the same high quality in flavor, fineness and aroma at anything like the price you pay for

ARBUCKLES' ROASTED COFFEE.

Everybody likes it; the careful blending is done by experts to suit the taste of the millions—not the few. Get a pound package and try it. Don't forget to examine the list of many useful articles to which you are entitled as a part of your purchase. Full information in every package.

ARBUCKLE BROS.,
Notion Dept. New York City, N. Y.

and Grant were such failures was because they were actively engaged in the matters they undertook, whereas those who assailed them and showed up their failures had nothing to but to watch them and tell how they ought to have acted.

But Tapp is a frank man. He is reported as admitting that before he reported as a candidate for office he thought the republic was all right; that it was stronger and greater and more secure than ever before; that there was more patriotism and good feeling; that there were firmer ties of brotherhood and manhood, and he had an idea that those who thought otherwise had dyspepsia and liver complaint and jaundice and rickets and delirium tremens. But now since he has become a candidate all is changed. He has seen the ghost and he believes the republic is in danger, and he feels an empire will be established at once, even before November.

He says his friend Bob Platt, who is a candidate for probate judge, agrees with him; but he admits the ghost Platt has seen is a little bit of a one, and Platt does not really appreciate the awful calamity that is impending, simply because the office he is after is so small.

BIG CROWD AT CONCERT

Police Will Protect Future Concerts—Fine Program.

The band concert last night was attended by a great crowd who wanted to hear the music, and also by some hoodlums who were prowling around. The police will protect these concerts hereafter and rowdiness will be given a free ride if any attempt is made to disturb the program.

NEW BANK FOR WICHITA

Illino's Man to Head New Institution Here.

Judge Norcraft of Monmouth, Ill., and I. S. Findley of Pabody, Kan., have been contemplating the establishment of a new bank in Wichita. The capital stock will be about \$25,000.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

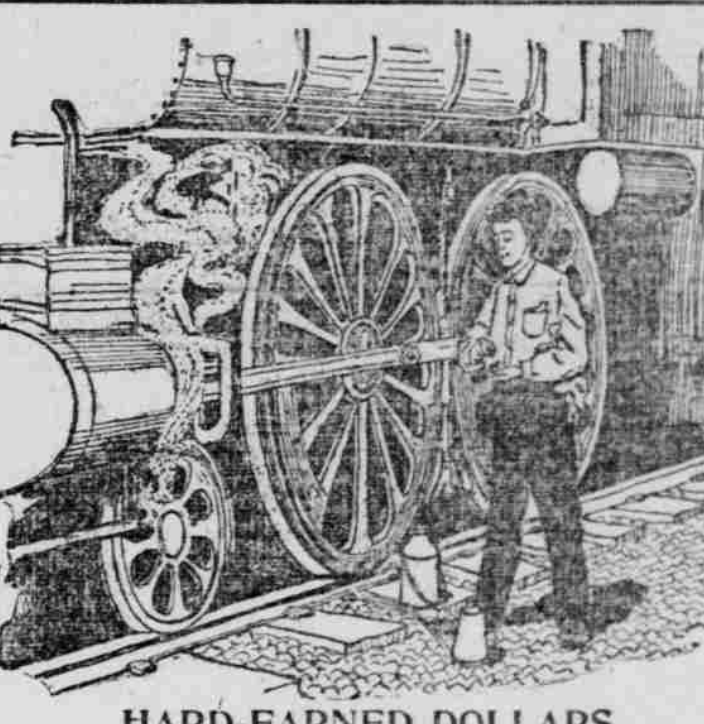
MOREY STOCK COMPANY.

The theatrical season will open on Monday next at the popular Crawford theater with the Morey Stock company, that made such a hit at the same house last Christmas week. This company carries more special scenery than any other company that comes to Wichita, and in addition to this their acting company is exceptionally strong. Sale of seats will open Friday at Howe's jewelry store. The following is self explanatory: Columbia, Mo., August 4.—We played the "Morey Stock Co." fair week and notwithstanding the extreme heat, they

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to our friends for the many kindnesses shown us during the illness and death of our son.

MR. AND MRS. JAMES McNEILL.



HARD-EARNED DOLLARS.

I can not tell you how thankful I am that I was advised to take Ripans Tabules. I suffered three or four years with a very bad stomach trouble, called by some doctor: sluggish digestion, and by others catarrh of the stomach. I doctored with six or seven different doctors, spending many hard-earned dollars, but found no relief until I tried R-I-P-A-N-S. I have taken about one dollar's worth and to-day can eat anything with comfort. Am a fireman on the Boston and Maine Railroad.

WANTED—A man of good health that R-I-P-A-N-S will not benefit. They handle pain and soothe life. One given relief. Note the word R-I-P-A-N-S in the package and on the bottle. It is the only one that will cure you. For 25 cents, may be had at our free trial. Our samples and one bottle of R-I-P-A-N-S will be mailed to any address for 25 cents, forwarded by the Western Chemical Co., St. Joseph, Mo., New York.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Broken all previous records of real estate business. We have never played a company that carried as much special scenery as the "Morey Stock company." We recommend them to managers who have never played them, and to those that have their reputation is established.

Respectfully,

HATTON BROS.,
Managers Opera House.

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MR. AND MRS. JAMES McNEILL.

HEALTHY OLD AGE

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